

The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

SHANE LAFFERTY,

**Plaintiff,**

VS.

CHRISTOPHER LIU et al.

## Defendants.

No. 2:17-cv-00749-RSM

STIPULATED MOTION AND ORDER  
TO CONTINUE TRIAL DATE AND  
MODIFY PRETRIAL DEADLINES

## **STIPULATION**

Defendant David Heenan, by and through his counsel Stephen T. LeCuyer, Thomas B. Nedderman, and John A. Safarli, Defendant Hudson Insurance Company (“Hudson”), by and through its counsel William W. Spencer, and Plaintiff Shane Lafferty, by and through his counsel William J. Johnston (collectively, “the Parties”) respectfully request this Court continue the trial date that is currently set for February 5, 2018, Dkt. #10, and modify the pretrial deadlines accordingly.

This matter was originally filed in Whatcom County Superior Court on March 6, 2017.

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1 The Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner was served with the summons and  
2 complaint on April 17, 2017, accepted service, and forwarded copies to Hudson, which were  
3 received on April 26, 2017. Hudson then removed this matter, and this Court set trial for  
4 February 5, 2018. Dkt. #10. Heenan was not served until July 7, 2017—the day after the trial  
5 date was set. Heenan's counsel have since appeared. Dkt. #11, #12, #14.

6 Heenan's counsel have discussed a new trial date with counsel for Hudson and for  
7 Plaintiff. The Parties all consent to a new trial date. A new case schedule would provide Heenan  
8 with time to comply with pretrial deadlines, including expert disclosure under Fed. R. Civ. P.  
9 26(a)(2), which is currently due on August 9, 2017.

10 Accordingly, the Parties respectfully request that this Court continue the trial date until  
11 May 2018, and modify the pretrial dates accordingly.

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13 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED THIS 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2017.

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## **ORDER**

The trial date is continued from February 5, 2018, to May 7, 2018, and the pretrial deadlines will be adjusted accordingly.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 1 day of August 2017.



**RICARDO S. MARTINEZ**  
**CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

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